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**Discussion of BHICA
Results**

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Purpose

To discuss common issues that arose from the BHICA results.

To address these issues using TTA goals from quarterly and any additional new goals.

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Description of the Behavioral Health Integration Capacity Assessment (BHICA)

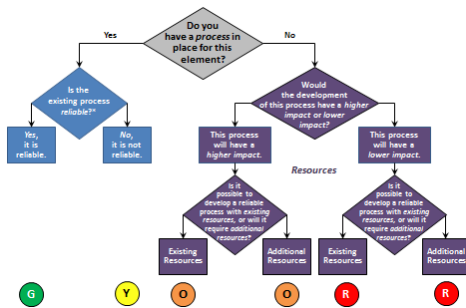
Evaluates behavioral health organizations in their ability to implement fully integrated care

Examines each of three potential approaches:
coordinated care, co-locate, build capacity in-house

Inform Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) goals

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The majority of BHICA items are coded into 4 categories:



BHICA Categories:

Green

There is a process in place and it is reliable

Yellow

There is a process in place and it is not reliable

Orange

There is no a process in place and it will have a higher impact

Red

There is no process in place and it will have a lower impact

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BHICA Results

53 of 72 agencies completed the BHICA

5 agencies in the Midatlantic region completed the BHICA

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BHICA Discussion By Section



Section 2: Assessing Your Infrastructure



Section 3: Screening and Identification of Population



Section 4: Assessing Optimal Integration



Section 5: Financing Integration

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Section 2.1: Capacity to Collect Data, Exchange Information and Monitor Population Health

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

...generating clinical care and recovery oriented service reports for each...	100%
Does your EHR meet Stage 1 meaningful use criteria?	100%
...use an electronic health record (EHR)?	100%
...record number of past-year ER visits for psychiatric and medical reasons?	20%
...participating in a secure, shared electronic messaging service?	0%
Is your EHR able to interface with other systems outside of the organization?	0%



Section 2.2: Progress and Outcome Tracking

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

...track individual changes in substance abuse behaviors?	100%
...track lab work?	100%
...track medication fills?	100%
...track individual changes in health outcomes?	50%
...use the data it collects to assess how it is doing with care delivery?	25%
...track individual changes in health behaviors?	25%



Section 2.3 & 2.4: Communication and Connection with Community Resources

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

Are HIPAA consents for sharing protected information in place?	100%
Is there a system to involve the individual and families in treatment?	100%
Do providers engage individuals in identifying life goals?	80%
Do providers communicate with individuals and/or families about diagnoses and level of functioning?	60%
...maintain a list of local wellness activities for individuals with mental illness?	40%
...promote engaging in self-management support?	40%

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Section 2.5: Leadership and Staff Engagement

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of agree/strongly agree responses:

Leaders consistently show commitment to practice transformation.	100%
Leaders promote the use of evidence-based tools to show/improvements of...	100%
Leaders encourage discussions about incorporating changes to practice.	100%
Leaders are involved in creating the business plan for increased integration.	40%
Leaders use data-driven processes to decide whether to change course.	40%
...offers ongoing primary care education for behavioral health providers.	20%



Section 3: Screening and Identification of Population

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

Is a staff member assigned to administer a comprehensive intake assessment?	100%
...discuss results of screening with individuals and family members?	100%
...do you use the SBIRT approach?	100%
Do individuals receive the results of the screening tests?	40%
Is a staff member assigned to administer physical health screenings?	40%
Do you screen for physical health conditions?	40%



Section 4.1: Care Coordination

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

...have an informed consent process?	100%
...talk with individuals about the release of their information when making a referral?	100%
...refer individuals to primary care providers?	100%
...consistently track progress related to an individual's medical needs?	25%
...track which individuals successfully make it to their referred appointment?	25%
Do providers contact local primary care providers for advice about treating an individual?	25%



Section 4.2 & 4.3: Co-location and In-House Primary Care

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

Do providers communicate about diagnoses with each other?	100%
...screen for substance abuse/illicit drug use?	100%
Is there someone that assists individuals in managing medical conditions, psychosocial problems more effectively?	100%
Do BH and PC providers contribute to a shared care and treatment plan?	50%
...offer on-site pharmacy services?	0%
Do BH and PC providers meet regularly?	0%



Section 5: Financing Integration

The **highest** and **lowest** percent of green responses:

Are the costs of the integrated care program known, tracked?	90%
...participate in non-billable activities?	85%
...identify a funding stream for each integration-related billable activity?	84%
...collect use of acute care services to show a decrease in health care costs?	62%
...engaged with payers in related demonstrations?	59%
...have a relationship with a health system participating in an ACO?	46%

Meet as a Team.....

What resonated with you?

What ideas do you hope to implement?

Which other organizations are doing something that you want to replicate?

Did the conversation inspire you to add a new TTA goal?

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Whole-Group Discussion

What resonated with your team?

What ideas does your team hope to implement?

Which other organizations are doing something that your team wants to replicate?

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